

LISTING OF MONTHLY DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS TAKEN BY PROFESSIONAL HEALTH BOARDS

JANUARY, 2003

Notice: The following health related board(s) took disciplinary action against the following individual(s) during the month. The effective date of the action is the date on which the document is filed with the Administrative Procedures Division of the Secretary of State's Office. In addition, a licensure status may thereafter be changed or modified by the board; therefore, please refer to the practitioner's individual disciplinary information under "Licensure Verification" for the effective date of the action and the latest licensure status and/or board modification.

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Licensee: William R. Allen, DDS, License Number 4526, Maryville
Violation: Practicing in an unlicensed capacity for 13 years; does not possess current dental license to permit use of nitrous oxide
Action: Ordered to immediately cease practice until license is reinstated
Assessed civil penalty of \$7,500

Licensee: Rebecca R. Brewer, RDA, License Number 2413, Chattanooga
Violation: Failure to timely renew license/practicing on an expired license
Action: Letter of reprimand.

Licensee: Tonya M. Carr, RDH, License Number 3722, Cordova
Violation: Failure to timely renew license/practicing on an expired license
Action: Letter of reprimand.

Licensee: William R. Gallaher, Jr., DDS, License Number 3363, White Pine
Violation: Negligence in the course of professional practice
Action: Reprimanded

Licensee: Diane Hamilton, RDH, License Number 2321, Mt. Juliet
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct
Action: Per agreed order, license suspended for 5 years; suspension stayed for duration of probationary period if respondent remains in full compliance
License placed on probation for five years
Assessed civil penalty of \$2,000

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BOARD OF DENTISTRY (CONT.)

Licensee: Deji Ogundiya, DDS, License Number 5165, Nashville
Violation: Convicted of a felony; failed to notify Board of conviction
Action: License placed on probation for five years
Assessed civil penalty of \$3,000

Licensee: Mitchell S. Parker, DDS, License Number 5366, Jackson, Mississippi
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable, or unethical conduct; improper advertising
Action: Letter of reprimand.

Licensee: William H. Pippin, Jr., DDS, License Number 3981, Sevierville
Violation: Failure to timely renew license/practicing on an expired license
Action: Letter of reprimand.

Licensee: Yvonne Writesman, (Unlicensed), Memphis
Violation: Unlicensed practice as a registered dental assistant
Action: Per agreed order, assessed civil penalty of \$200

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: John F. Nelson, M.D., License Number 15879, Lookout Mountain
Violation: Out of State Action
Action: Revocation stayed until 3/18/03 BME meeting, Respondent ordered to appear before the Board on 3/18/03, civil penalties assessed.

Licensee: Steven L. Watkins, MD, License Number 19650, Hendersonville
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct
Failure to report criminal convictions to the Board
Action: License revoked
Assessed civil penalties totaling \$800

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